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### PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Governor Tillman has been blind of an eye since he was 15 years old.

Christopher Grove, a 93-year-old resident of Bethany, Ind., is cutting a new set of teeth.

The Marquis of Salisbury goes so little into society that it is said he was actually unacquainted with some of the subordinate members of his late cabinet.

Tom Reed has taken to the weed again. Until the beginning of the present congress he had not touched a cigar for four years, but he has gone back to his old habits.

Representative Conn of Indiana wears a big ring on one of the fingers of his left hand. It was given him by Levy, the cornetist, to whom it was presented by the czar of Russia.

Joseph James Chesebrough, the president of Liberia, was born in that country. His parents were sent out to Liberia by the American Colonization society and were among its early founders.

The Duke of Norfolk's eldest son is deaf, dumb, almost blind and half-witted. The youthful earl has been afflicted from his childhood, and his condition appears to grow worse with each succeeding year.

William H. Crawford was minister to the court of Napoleon. He was a man of extraordinary force of character and was one of the intellectual giants of his day. His body lies in a neglected grave near Lexington, Ga.

Lord Hannen, the eminent English judge, recently deceased, is said never to have been fooled but once. He excused a juror on the plea that the latter wished to attend a funeral. The juror proved to be an undertaker.

Benjamin Harrison is the only living ex-president, and Levi P. Morton the only living ex-vice president of the United States. Of course Mr. Cleveland is in a sense an ex-president, but being a president he loses claim to being an ex-president.

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By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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The STATE JOURNAL's Want and Miscellaneous columns reach each working day in the week more than twice as many Topeka people as can be reached through any other paper. This is a fact.

For instance, Mrs. Chas. Rogers, of Bay City, Mich., accidentally spilled scalding water over her little boy. She promptly applied De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, giving instant relief. It's a wonderfully good salve for burns, bruises, sores, and a sure cure for Piles. J. K. Jones.

A satisfied customer is a permanent one. That's why we recommend De Witt's Early Risers. They cure constipation, indigestion and Biliousness. J. K. Jones.

Read the "Wants." Many of them are as interesting as news items. See if it is not so.

### HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

MUSLIN curtains, figured and ruffled, look well for narrow windows in apartments.

AMMONIA should not be used frequently in water for bathing. It hardens the skin and makes it crack.

According to Polly Pry, a good way to keep the cook in a good humor is to have the kitchen knives always sharp. Iced tea acquires a new flavor when served in long, thin glasses with a delicately cut slice of lemon floating on top.

Put an open box in the cellar with a peck of fresh lime in it; it will absorb the moisture and make it smell fresh and sweet.

ALL embroidered articles, such as tray cloths, bureau scarfs, five o'clock tea cloths, silk board covers and the like, should be washed by themselves.

FLAXSEED lemonade is excellent for a cold. To a pint of water add two small tablespoonfuls of seed, the juice of two lemons and sugar to suit. Ice for drinking.

A LAST year's straw hat can be sponged and cleansed with coffee, afterward pressing with a warm iron, laying the rim on a flat surface and using a pan for the crown.

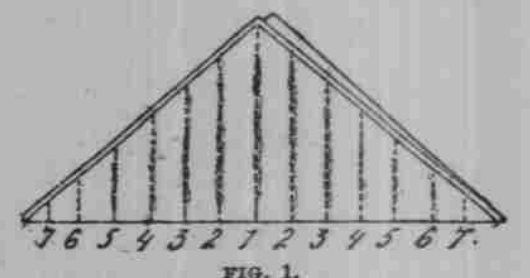
BIRTS of toilet soap which are very small may be utilized. Make a bag of Turkish toweling about nine inches square and put in it all the small pieces of soap. When three-quarters filled sew up the end and use the same as if it were a cake of soap.

PAPER torn into small pieces makes a comfortable stuffing for a cushion, especially if a layer of cotton wool is placed over it. The paper should be put in a canvas case, or one of any strong material, first sewing it round; then lay on the cotton wool, and over that the cretonne.

### HANDY STEAMER BAG.

Easily Made If Care Is Taken in the Measurement and Folding.

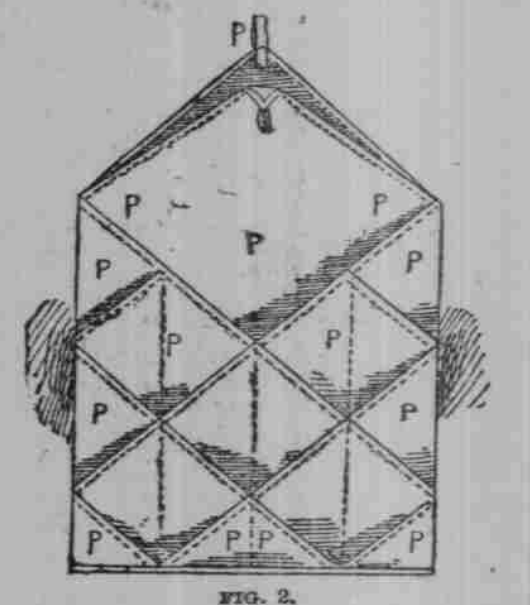
How to keep useful articles in a small compass and within easy reach of a berth often perplexes people who travel.



For this purpose a steamer bag is very useful. It is easily made if care is taken in the measurement and folding.

Take a square of drab linen, or any material that is alike on both sides, and bind it all around neatly with braid. Cut the square diagonally, and place one part exactly over the other.

Crease these down the center from point to base, calling this line number one. On each side of the center line crease or draw six lines, numbering from the center, dividing the base line into fourteen equal parts, as in Fig. 1. Stitch the two pieces together on each side down lines 3, then down lines 4, then stitch together the lines 5 of the



upper piece. Next stitch the pieces together on each side down lines 6, stitching lines 7 of the upper piece together as was done at lines 5.

Now fold so that lines 5 and 7 of the upper piece will be over the center line and lines 5 and 7 of the under piece will be at the outer edges of the bag. Turn the two small pieces of each side so that they will meet at the base line over line 6.

Bind with braid from A across the bottom to B, and sew loops of the braid at the two upper points and at A and B, and you will have a most convenient bag with fifteen pockets of various sizes, as seen in Fig. 2.—Youth's Companion.

Bead and Pearl Ornaments.

Sashes of soft, black gauze and of moire, with long floating ends, are much liked, and bead ornaments of every description, especially those in fine jet with festoons and fringes of beads, are lavishly used. Pearls and gold beads form charming ornaments for evening dresses; a bodice for instance, in shot straw color and salmon pink silk, has a large puffed sleeve finished off above the elbow with Louis XIII. revers of silk, pearls, and gold beads above a flounce of guipure. The bodice, open in a V point, is embroidered in the same way, and epaulets to correspond fall from the shoulders.

How to Make Cheese Straws.

To make cheese straws, work to a smooth paste three ounces of grated Parmesan cheese, two ounces of flour, a little salt and cayenne pepper, and the yolk of one egg. Roll this mixture upon a pie board until about an eighth of an inch thick and five or six inches each way across; cut in very narrow strips, place upon buttered tins and bake quickly to a light brown tint.

Small rings are sometimes cut and baked in addition to the straws, and before placing on the table the straws are thrust through the rings, forming festoons.—Ladies' Home Journal.



MARSHALL FIELD.

Known as the greatest merchant in the world and founder of the Field Columbian Museum at Chicago. He was born in Massachusetts fifty-nine years ago. When twenty-one he came to Chicago and engaged in the dry goods business. His success was phenomenal, the business of his house now amounting to \$140,000,000 every year. At the close of the World's Fair he contributed \$1,000,000 toward the establishment of the museum which now bears his name.

### The Shoe Latchet.

A clever woman laces her low shoes with narrow, flat, black elastic, sewing the ends securely. This method enables the wearer to slip the shoe on and off with ease, and a bow of black satin ribbon tied at the top covers the place of joining. The difficulty of keeping the ordinary shoestring tied is generally admitted, and of late the fisherman's "salmon knot" has been adopted with much comfort. This is easily tied and consists in putting the second loop of the bow twice through the knot instead of once, as in the usual way. It may be untied without trouble, but will not slip or come undone, no matter what the strain.

### The Massachusetts Senate.

The bill to allow women to act as notaries public has been defeated in the Massachusetts senate—12 to 10. Women are serving acceptably as notaries public in many parts of the country, but our senate apparently thinks there is some radical difference between the women of Massachusetts and those of other states. The senate is making itself a bad reputation as the graveyard in which progressive measures are buried.—Boston Woman's Journal.

### Women Gardeners.

The capability of Miss Wilkinson, who is the successful landscape gardener of the Metropolitan Public Garden association of London, has suggested to American women a new vocation that may in time be opened to them, a vocation both healthful and delightful. As a step toward it, it is proposed by a number of people in Philadelphia that six young women having a taste for out of door life study forestry under a specialist.

### Mrs. Leslie's Comment.

At a New York suffrage meeting, held at Mrs. Frank Leslie's, that lady said: "If I am an indifferent agitator, it is because of my absolute and serene conviction that universal women's suffrage is near at hand. The good stead Progress is rapidly bearing women to the front and drawing aside the old nag precedent to make room beside him that we may ride on together."

### A Woman Printer.

Boston has a woman who owns and conducts a printing establishment which sends work all over the country. This is Miss Anna Florence Grant, a young woman about 25 years old, who came from Portland, Me., and who, by her enterprise, has built up a large job printing establishment. She is now at work compiling a Boston woman's directory.

### A Hint to Heiresses.

The French courts have recently decided that a woman's dot, or marriage portion, is the property of her husband. American heiresses about to marry a French title will do well to make a note of this. It is said that a strong agitation is to be begun in France in favor of a married woman's property act.

### Indian Service Matrons.

The secretary of the interior has approved the plan of increasing the force of field matrons of the Indian service, recently recommended by Commissioner Browning. There are only five matrons now on the rolls, and the appointment of 20 more will probably be asked for.—Washington Capital.

### Nearly Forty Thousand of Them.

There are nearly 40,000 women cyclists in the United States. New England and New York claim half of this number, but with good roads the sport is fast spreading in the west, and it is only a question of time before the east will hold second place in numbers.

The latest threatened evil in the fashionable world is the rumor that earrings will soon be worn again. No one knows whence the fiat comes, but the decree is being discussed in the drawing rooms of London and Paris.

Mrs. Julia J. Irvin, a graduate of Cornell university, is understood to be as good as elected as next president of Wellesley college, where she has been professor of Greek for the last four years.

Mrs. Judge R. C. Lemon of Toledo, wishing to vote under the new school suffrage law, has taken out naturalization papers, the first ever issued to a woman in Ohio.

### TURNING THE TABLES.

The Negro Met the Lawyer on His Own Ground.

A Kentucky lawyer was standing on the steps of the Covington postoffice the other day, when an old colored man came up and touching his hat asked: "Kin you tell me is dis de place where dey sells postage stamps?"

"Yes, sir. This is the place," replied the lawyer, seeing a chance of a little quiet fun, "but what do you want with postage stamps, uncle?"

"To mail a letter, sah, of course."

"Well then, you needn't bother about stamps. You don't have to put any on this week."

"I don't?"

"No, sir."

"Why—for not?"

"Well, you see, the conglomeration of the hypothesis has differentiated the parallelism so much that the con-sanguinity don't emulate the ordinary effervescence, and so the government has decided to send letters free."

The old man took off his hat dubiously, shook his head and then, with a long breath, remarked:

"Well, boss, all dat may be true, an I don't say it ain't, but just s'posed dat de eckcentricity of de aggregation transubstantiates de ignominiousness of de puppindicler and sublimities de pusplucity of de consequences—don't you qualificate dat de government would confiscate dat dare letter? I guess I'd jest better put some stamps on anyhow, fer luck!"

And the old man passed solemnly down the street.—Exchange.

### He Explained It.

James Wilson of New Hampshire used to tilt with Jeremiah Smith occasionally. Once, while they were journeying together on horseback, Wilson rode on ahead, and meeting a stranger passed himself off to him as Smith, then a member of congress. When the two attorneys stopped for the night, Wilson related, in the presence of some friends, what a great dignitary he had been mistaken for. "Oh, no," said Smith, "the man knew better. He said: 'You Jerry Smith? Why, he's a respectable man.'"

A man of the name of Smith being arraigned in court for a criminal offense, Wilson asked Smith how it was, that so many offenders happened to have his name. "Easily explained," replied Smith. "They want an honest name to be tried by, and so give the name of Smith, but on inquiry it will generally turn out that their true name is Wilson."—Green Bag.

### Hood's Famous Hoax.

There is a very pretty story to the effect that the word "queer" came into our language through a hoax. I forgot who the alleged perpetrators were—Thomas Hood perhaps—but the story goes that a wager was made to the effect that the maker of it could set all London to talking within 24 hours. He accordingly had painted on fences, houses, sidewalks and all vacant spaces the letters, "Q-U-E-E-R." "Why, what is that?" everybody asked. And the response was that it was "queer;" hence everything that seemed strange after that was called "queer." It is a good story, and perhaps it is not far to explode it by saying that our word "queer" comes directly from the German.—Boston Home Journal.

### Pay Dirt.

The man who had gone west to grow up with the country returned to the scenes of his childhood in less than three years wearing good clothes and in many other ways giving competent testimony of prosperity.

"Hello!" exclaimed an old friend, meeting him. "You must have done well in the west."

"Well, rather," was the confident reply. "I struck pay dirt before I had been there a year."

"Pay dirt? I didn't know you were at the mines."

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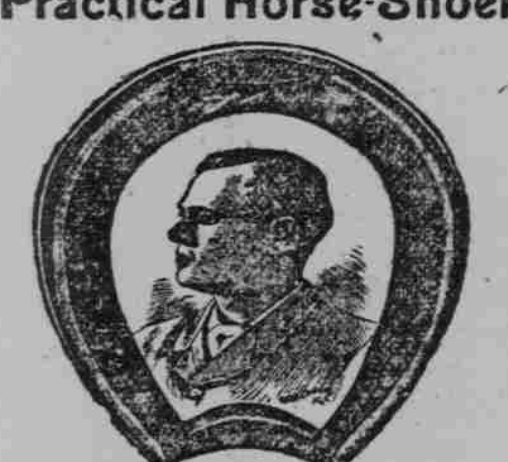
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